



Attorney Docket No.: TIP-05-1194

Re Application of Seiji Morii, et al.

Serial No.: 10/542,498  
Filed: July 15, 2005  
For: PROCESSES FOR THE RECOVERY OF  
OPTICALLY ACTIVE DIACYLTARTATIC ACIDS

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:  
  
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1) (Col. 2) (Col. 3)

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PRE- VIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	25	-	** 20=	5
INDEP.	5	-	** 3=	2
Application Size Fee				
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 25 =	\$
X 100 =	\$
	\$
+180=	\$

OR

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x50 =	\$250.00
x 200 =	\$400
x250=	\$
+360=	\$

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$ \_\_\_\_\_ OR \$650.00

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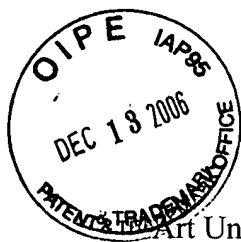
☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 with the exception of the Issue Fee which we intend to pay by check.

Respectfully submitted,



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**RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 6, 2006, the Applicants amend the Application as follows:

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03 FC:1202 250.00 DP